

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING

May 19, 2015

Members Present: Jane Hansen, Scottie Ard, and Jim Jackson

Members Absent: None

Others Present: Mike Darrow, Jim VanderWyst, and Jeanne Bergman

Jane Hansen called the meeting to order at 4:32 pm and roll call was taken.

Scottie Ard moved to adopt the agenda as presented, seconded by Jim Jackson, and carried.

Jim Jackson moved to approve the minutes from the previous meeting of April 6, 2015, seconded by Scottie Ard, and carried.

Business Registration

Discussion took place on the benefits of having a business registration. Registration could include owner and tenant contact information which would be helpful in the case of an emergency. This information is currently on file with City Utilities. No action was taken.

Jim VanderWyst left the meeting at 4:45 pm.

National Night Out

Members reviewed the handout from Mike Darrow with his suggestions on the next steps in planning National Night Out (see attached). This event will take place in conjunction with the City Utility picnic that will be held earlier that same day. Demonstrations showcasing our emergency services, along with their vehicles and personnel, marketing, and sponsors were discussed. Each member will take a leadership role in one of these areas and bring back their ideas to the next meeting.

Communication and Miscellaneous

Future agenda ideas are to include:

- Moving wall and traffic control
- Ambulance contract

Scottie Ard moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Jim Jackson, and carried.

Meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

National Night Out Next Steps
August 4, 2015

11:00-1 Utility Picnic and City-Wide Departments – Mike

- ? Food provided by New Richmond Utility – Nancy
- ? Community Solar – Mike
- ? Department setup throughout the park – Mike / Nancy
 - o Utilities
 - o Community Development
 - o Fire
 - o Police
 - o Public Works
 - o Library
 - o Airport

3:30-5:00 Evening Setup

- ? Departmental setup – Mike
- ? Dunk Tank- ??? – Mike and Fred ??
- ? Marketing – Noah
 - o Facebook
 - o Twitter
 - o News launch
 - o ~~✍~~ Ads in Paper
- ? Police and Fire Demonstrations – Jim Jackson?
 - o Safe House
 - o Police K9 Demo
- ? Ambulance Demonstrations – Jane?
 - o Ambulance Demo (open house)
- ? Food truck by VFW – Scottie?
 - o Grill w/ donation by ???